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## **News Release**

## New ECBC Website Offers Insight into Chemical Biological Defense Research

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**Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.** – The U.S. Army Edgewood Chemical Biological Center (ECBC) recently launched its updated website, offering a look into the widely publicized field of chemical and biological research and development. The website can be viewed online at http://www.ecbc.army.mil/.

Centered around ECBC's capabilities and state-of-the-art facilities, the website highlights the organization's mission to provide products and services related to chemical and biological agent testing, the latest sampling and analysis techniques for contaminated areas, agent decontamination methods and personal protective equipment.

Evaluations of gas masks, clean air shelters, sampling kits and decontamination kits are featured on the website as well as information on ECBC services such as applied research, testing, engineering, sampling and analysis.

In addition to ECBC's current research and development in chemical and biological defense and homeland security, the site also provides information on the Center's unique 85-year history, experienced staff and community outreach initiatives.

The ECBC website has been recreated to offer easier navigation and access, more detailed information, and a lay out conducive to a variety of target audiences, such as First Responders.

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ECBC is the Army's principal research and development center for chemical and biological defense technology, engineering and services. ECBC has achieved major technological advances for national defense, civilian needs and industrial competitiveness, with a long and distinguished history of providing the Armed Forces with quality systems and outstanding customer service. ECBC is located at the Edgewood Area of Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md. For more information about the Edgewood Chemical Biological Center, please visit our Web site at <a href="http://edgewood.sbccom.army.mil">http://edgewood.sbccom.army.mil</a> or call (410) 436-4347.